

[8th February 1924]

*The splitting up of the cadre of the Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools.*

336 Q.—Mr. A. RANGANATHA MUDALIYAR: Will the hon. the Minister for Education be pleased to state—

(1) whether the old sub-assistant inspectors of schools cadre has been split up into two branches, viz., deputy inspectors of schools and school assistants;

(2) whether there is any difference, and if so, what difference in the qualifications prescribed for each;

(3) whether any increments in the case of school assistants are granted to them by selection, when they reach a pay of Rs. 100; and

(4) the sanctioned strength of deputy inspectors and school assistants respectively in the Presidency and the percentage of appointments in each class reserved for the selection grade of Rs. 150—10—250?

A.—(1) Yes.

(2) Ordinarily there is no difference.

(3) Not until they come to be promoted to the next higher grade of Rs. 100—10—150.

(4) The sanctioned permanent strength of the cadre is 257 in the case of deputy inspectors and 185 in the case of school assistants. The percentage of appointments on Rs. 150—10—250 is 25 and 12 per cent respectively.

Mr. C. V. VENKATARAMANA AYYANGAR:—“With reference to the answer to clause (2) is it a fact that school assistants have two bars of promotion, one at Rs. 100 and another at Rs. 150, while the deputy inspectors have got only one bar at Rs. 150?”

The hon. Rao Bahadur Sir A. P. PATRO:—“Sir, the answer is found in the answer to clause (4), which runs thus:—“The sanctioned permanent strength of the cadre is 257 in the case of deputy inspectors and 185 in the case of school assistants. The percentage of appointments on Rs. 150—10—250 is 25 and 12 respectively.’ Rupees 150 is the place where they stop and there the selection grade begins.”

Mr. C. V. VENKATARAMANA AYYANGAR:—“I will repeat my question, Sir, because clause (4) has absolutely nothing to do with my question. Clause (2) of the answer here says that ordinarily there is no difference. Is it not a fact that school assistants have got two bars of promotion, one at Rs. 100 and the other at Rs. 150, whereas deputy inspectors got only one bar of promotion, namely, at Rs. 150?”

The hon. Rao Bahadur Sir A. P. PATRO:—“That is so.”

Mr. C. V. VENKATARAMANA AYYANGAR:—“Will the hon. the Minister be pleased to say whether he considers that ordinarily there is no difference?”

(No answer.)

*Subordinate Educational Service, Collegiate Branch.*

337 Q.—Mr. S. SATYAMURTI: Will the hon. the Minister for Education be pleased to state—

(a) when the Assistant Professors and Assistant Lecturers in the Government Colleges were constituted into a separate service called the Subordinate Educational Service, Collegiate Branch;